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RÉSPONSE TO 7 MAY 2008 NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Examiner Sisson:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated 07 May 2008, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks:

SUMMARY OF NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Specification	trademarks	
Claims 19, 56, 70, 78, 88, and 99	112, first paragraph, new matter Taq sequence	
Claims 52, 66, 73, 83, and 94	i12, second paragraph, SEQUENASE	
Claims 10, 13, 17, and 18	102(e)/103(a) - Schneider et al.	
Claims 16, 19, 50-56, 64-74, 76-92, 94-100, 102-106, 108-111	103(a) - Schneider et al. + Williams et al. + Cashman	